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## DEATH OF HUSBAND LEADS TO SUICIDE

### DROWNS HERSELF IN DEEP CISTERNS

Young Widow, of Joppe, Becomes Despondent and Ends Her Life

MRS. IDA SMITH TAYLOR.

Husband Died Year Ago and She Has Been Melancholy Ever Since That Event.

SURVIVED BY LITTLE CHILD.

Despondent on account of the death of her husband a year ago, Mrs. Ida Taylor, the youthful widow of James Taylor, of Joppe, Ill., waded a quarter of a mile before daybreak yesterday morning and drowned herself in the cistern of Andrew Todd. Her body was found by members of the family, who went to the cistern to get water later in the day. Coroner T. F. Wallace, of Metropolis, viewed the body. The funeral will take place this afternoon. Mrs. Taylor was Ida Smith, a member of a well known family in Joppe. She had one child a year old. She had been melancholy for months, her trouble being attributed to grief over her husband's death.

### FARMERS WILL MEET

Whenever Secretary Rogers Calls Special Session.

Secretary Rogers, of the McCracken County Farmers' Institute, has not issued a call for a meeting of the institute, which meets February 27, 28 and 29 at Shelbyville. State Agriculture Commissioner Vreeland has notified the different county institutes that the second annual state institute will be held there at that time. President S. A. Fowlers said that the farmers of the county would get together whenever a meeting is called by the secretary.

### ANNUAL MEETING OF CLUB TONIGHT

At the annual meeting of the Commercial club tonight 20 directors will be elected, and H. C. Rhodes probably will be elected president. President Joseph L. Friedman will preside, and members will deliver short addresses on the work of the organization its accomplishment, plans and prospects.

### PROVING VENUE.

Witnesses Saw Body of Woman Floating in Cumberland.

Nashville, Jan. 31.—The first evidence brought out by the state in the Feist murder case was to establish the venue of the crime, that is, to prove that Mrs. Rosa Mangrum was killed in Davidson county. To this extent two witnesses testified that they saw the body of a woman floating past Clees' Ferry some time in January, 1906, some two or three weeks after Mrs. Mangrum's disappearance and a short while before her body was found in the Ohio at Cairo.

### THREE CAR BARN BURNED.

Chicago, Jan. 31.—Fire this morning caused by the explosion of illuminating gas, destroyed the North Clark street car barns, containing 150 cars and two machine shop across the street and the storage house in the rear. The loss is estimated at \$100,000.

James Mackus was overcome by gas fumes and lost his life. Three firemen were injured.

### THEATRICAL TRUST IS INDICTED IN NEW YORK.

New York, Jan. 31.—The grand jury today returned indictments against Klaw & Erlanger, Frohman, Nixon and others, leaders of the supposed theatrical trust, charging them with conspiracy. The complainant is David Belasco.

Chicago, Jan. 31.—Dispatches from Vandala, Highland and Greenville, Ill., report an earthquake shock at 11:30 last night. Many persons were aroused from sleep.

### EARTHQUAKE.

Indianapolis, Ind., Jan. 31.—Reports from various parts of the state tell of earthquake shocks last evening. The tremors varying from five seconds to a minute.

### BURTON DECLINES.

Washington, Jan. 31.—It is announced today that Representative Burton, of Ohio, will not accept the chairmanship of the rivers and harbors committee in the Sixteenth congress. Burton has been at the head of the Winter ways committee twelve years and has reported and passed through the house without amendment seven appropriation bills for the improvement of rivers and harbors. His health is given as the cause of his retirement.

### ODD FELLOWS WILL GO TO METROPOLIS

Interstate Association Meets There and Paducah Lodge Will Compete for Prizes in Every Event

### LARGE ATTENDANCE EXPECTED.

Six hundred Odd Fellows from Paducah lodges will attend the Interstate meeting at Metropolis, Ill., April 26, and will compete with all teams for prizes in every contest.

Last year several small Illinois lodges withdrew from the Interstate association and attempted to break it up. The Illinois lodges wanted a postponement, and local lodges refused because all arrangements had been made.

The lodges that withdrew formed an association known as the Southern Illinois association and will meet April 26 at Anna, Ill. The association is not expected to live, and local lodge men predict that the Interstate lodge will be petitioned to take it back before long.

At the Interstate association meeting at Metropolis hand contests and other features will attract many persons and committees have been appointed by the Metropolis lodge even this far in advance to prepare for the visitors' reception and entertainment. There are three lodges in Paducah, the Ingleside, No. 195; Mangum, No. 2, and Mearnsburg, No. 218.

### REAR-END COLLISION.

Results in Two Deaths and One Fatal Injury.

Cincinnati, Jan. 31.—A rear-end collision of two freight trains on the Big Four near Delhi, Ohio, this morning caused two deaths. Conductor Keely Osgood and Brakeman Witten, of Columbia City, Ind., were instantaneously killed. Samuel Sheehy, of Cincinnati, was probably fatally injured. The cause of the wreck is not determined.

Strong Family Follows Family. Bedford, Ind., Jan. 31.—Since the assignment of Alva Callahan for the murder of John Walters, last September, it develops that an unusual fatality has followed the family.

His parents have both since died, and his brother, who came here for the bodies, has also died, as have his two sons.

The latter were the state's main witnesses, from the fact that they alone witnessed the trouble that ended in the killing of their father.

There is only one kind of a newspaper circulation statement that is worth any consideration and that is the daily detailed statement. The Sun is the only Paducah paper printing such a statement.



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DARWIN P. KINGSLY, WHO MAY SOON BECOME PRESIDENT OF THE NEW YORK LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY.

DARWIN P. KINGSLY, who is spoken of as the prospective new head of the New York Life Insurance company, is a native of Vermont, a graduate of the University of Vermont and a son-in-law of the late John A. McCull. In 1887-88 he was state auditor of Colorado, and since 1898 he has been vice president of the New York Life. He is in his fiftieth year.

### RAINS GIVE RISE TO APPREHENSION ON ACCOUNT OF STAGE OF THE RIVER

SITUATION AGAIN BECOMES CONJECTURAL BECAUSE EXTENT OF STORM AND PRECIPITATION MUST BE CONSIDERED

### OHIO RIVER MAY RISE AGAIN.

With rain as the leading role, the play of nature becomes a tragedy at this particular time. While the river showed the largest fall in the last 24 hours, it has shown since the fall set in, and while tomorrow morning may show another fall, if the rain continues, and in general, the minus signs in the river reports will be changed to plus—and plus 1884.

When the river is low and heavy rains set in, a large amount of the water at first has no effect because the dry soil absorbs it, but with the soil already soaked, the rain today will be felt immediately on the rivers. It all depends on the extent and degree of the rainfall in the next few days.

Just as the rivermen and interstate were anticipating an early return to normal conditions and were exchanging congratulations over the escape from serious damage from the high water, for the rains to start again saps their buoyancy in short order. Nothing to do now but watch the weather reports and keep an eye on the weather vane for a change in quarter of the wind. Snow would be a blessing compared with rain.

The river fell five-tenths of a foot since yesterday morning, the stage this morning being 44.8. The total fall in the last three days has been nine-tenths of a foot. The lowest stage of the river in January was on the first day of the month, when the river was at 23.8. The highest was 45.7 on the 28th.

January has been a remarkable month in many respects: 12.22 inches of rain fell. It is the heaviest rainfall for the month on record. Three inches of snow fell. The weather has been too warm for the season and is responsible for the heavy rainfall.

Fortunately the rains will find the upper Ohio river much better prepared to stand another rise. At Pittsburgh the river is at a summer stage, and at Cincinnati and Louisville it has fallen sufficiently to require a good deal of rain to bring the

river back to a dangerous stage. The fall at Paducah thus far has been slow because of its nearness to the Mississippi river. Rain would be more immediately felt here than above.

Altogether the situation is one which, as stated last week, baffle accurate prediction. Obviously the river will fall as long as the rains hold up, but not even the weather man can tell what the weather will do for any length of time ahead, and frequently in the past month his prediction of decidedly colder weather have not been realized, or at best only transiently.

The continuation of the warm weather will bring out the fruit trees and early spring vegetables to a state where a really cold snap will surely kill them. It is altogether improbable that the season will pass without some winter weather.

MARKET SLUMPING.

New York, Jan. 31.—With the recent stock bond issues of railroad industrial corporations exceeding the national debt by many millions, the stock market today is in a fit of financial indisposition, security values slumping heavily. Since the first of the year over a billion dollars have been lost in market to shareholders all over the country.

### 2,000 CARS.

Minneapolis, Jan. 31.—At least 2,000 Great Northern railroad cars, loaded with freight, are stalled in and near Minneapolis, awaiting an opening of the western lines. Included in the merchandise are Christmas consignments valued at thousands of dollars, which the railroads have been unable to deliver.

GRAIN MARKET.

Cincinnati, Jan. 31.—Wheat,

78; corn, 46; oats, 40.

PUT LOUISVILLE ON UNFAIR LIST

Louisville Jan. 31.—The Louisville Federation of Labor has announced it will place the city of Louisville on the "unfair" list if it does not raise wages of city laborers at the next meeting of the city council.

### SUPERVISOR HAS GOOD ROADS PLAN

BOND ISSUE SUPPLEMENTED WITH WORK OF FARMERS LIVING ON HIGHWAYS WOULD DO WORK IN THREE YEARS

### JUDGE LIGHTFOOT'S HOBBY

The good roads movement set on foot by McCracken county, and which has been faithfully followed for several years by County Judge R. T. Lightfoot and Road Supervisor Bert Johnson, its champions, has spread rapidly to other counties, and Graves and Ballard are to issue bonds for graveling roads. Others are expected to follow, and McCracken county may extend her building operations. A great deal of interest is centered in the meeting of the fiscal court next month when the matter of issuing bonds will be discussed by the magistrates.

The only way McCracken county may issue bonds in its present state is by a vote of two-thirds of its voters, and that for but one percent of the total assessment. This will give an estimated \$108,000. Judge Lightfoot and Road Supervisor Bert Johnson are working hard for the improvements and receiving deserved encouragement.

"My idea is this," Supervisor Bert Johnson stated. "If we may issue \$100,000 in bonds this will give us enough money to gravel 100 miles of road, even if the county stands all the expense. Property owners have been paying half the cost of road improvements, and I believe that the majority of them will help the county in building all the roads. We will have to spend some of the money on bridges, but with the proper assistance from residents, we will be able to gravel the roads of the entire county in less than three years."

### FOR ONE DOLLAR AND LOVE.

Washington, Jan. 31.—Richard Harlan and James S. Harlan, sons of Justice Harlan of the supreme court, have presented their mother, the handsome home where the aged jurist and his wife live and the adjoining house. This property is very valuable. The consideration named in the deed is \$1 and love for Malvina French Harlan.

## FRATERNITY BUILDING STOCK WILL BE SOLD

One Side or Other Expected to Buy Entire Interest in Stock Company, According to Report

Odd Fellows or Masons Likely to Acquire Full Control of the Handsome Office and Lodge Building

### DUAL MANAGEMENT HAS PROVEN UNPOPULAR

Joint ownership of the building by Fellows, and Plain City Lodge and district fraternal bodies proving unsatisfactory in some respects will result, it is said, in the auction of the stock held by members of the Masons and Odd Fellows to one of the two divisions. Because of petty friction in the management of the building, the auction sale was favorably discussed in all lodges, and probably this week will see a decision on what course to pursue.

The building was erected three years ago at a cost of \$27,000. The site, including the property on which the Register building is located, was secured for \$12,000. Bonds were issued by the stock company composed of members of Union Encampment, Ingleside and Mangum lodges of Odd

Fellows, and Plain City Lodge and Paducah Lodge of Masons and Paducah Commandery, Knights Templar.

The Fraternity building is one of the finest office buildings in the city.

It is well appointed and apparently a money maker under proper management.

The outcome of the next meeting of the board of directors will be watched with interest.

It is not to be understood that the stock company is in any way financially embarrassed.

The three lodges of Odd Fellows own property on Third street occupied by the Dieke & Hurt saloon. In event they sell out to the Masonic bodies, it is probable the rooms upstairs will be remodeled and used as lodge rooms.

### RAILROAD WORK

Will Keep Labor Well Employed All Next Summer.

Labor will be at a premium this summer in the Ohio valley because of the floods and heavy rains, especially on railroads; and already officials are looking forward to immediate work on roadbeds. The damage done during the past several months in heavy rains is impossible to estimate. It served to point out weak places in the road, and will enable the railroads to put their roadbed in the best of condition, which will necessitate the raising of grades. All railroads south of the Ohio were damaged and section laborers will not have to search for work anywhere south of the Ohio and east of the Mississippi river.

A sample of the desk selected was received yesterday. It has a hinged flap for writing purposes, and the seat awnings on hinges, opera chair style. A wooden pocket is attached to the back of each for storing books. The seat is manufactured in Grand Rapids, Mich., and on account of previous orders the firm cannot ship before March 10. The seats will cost \$2.35 each and 350 is the maximum order.

### NEW SEATS ORDERED.

Will Not Arrive Until Sometime in March.

Not until after March 10 will new seats to accommodate the overflow in the High school reach here. This is the earliest date possible for them to arrive, the firm writing a letter to this effect to the school board.

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### ANOTHER CARRIER FOR POSTOFFICE

Paducah soon will have 13 mail carriers, the department at Washington has taken sufficient cognizance of the need in this city to detail an inspector to look over the situation and report the condition. An application for another carrier was made some time ago. The territory covered by the mail carriers will not be extended, but the work will be divided so as to facilitate the services.

### BLOWS OFF WIFE'S HEAD THEN MURDERS INFANT.

Waycross, Ga., Jan. 31.—H. E. Lillis, recovering from a sprue, placed a shotgun at the head of his wife who had a babe in her arms, and blew off the top of her head. The babe fell to the floor and with the other barrel Lillis shot its arm off. He was arrested.

### PRESIDENT TO ATTEND MONUMENT DEDICATION

Washington, Jan. 31.—The president announced today he would visit Canton, O., the last week in September, to attend the dedication of the McKinley monument.

### MURDERS STEPFATHER BECAUSE HE WAS FIGHTING WITH BOY'S MOTHER

Joplin, Mo., Jan. 31.—Because his mother, Joe Faulker, colored, a stepfather, Charles Lewis, assaulted

his mother. Joe Faulker, colored, a stepfather, on the City of Memphis, who came home sick yesterday, went to the home of a neighbor, secured a shotgun and returning to the house, blew Lewis' head off. Faulker then made his escape, leaving a note explaining that he was defending his mother. He has not been captured. Young Faulker has worked on the river all his life. According to his mother's statement, when the boy came home she and Lewis were quarreling, and Lewis struck her. Coroner T. F. Wallace will hold the inquest.

**The Kentucky**

BOTH PHONES 548.

Tuesday Night, Feb. 5

SAM S. AND LEE SHUBERT

INCORPORATED

Offer the New York Casino Musical Comedy Successes!

**The Social Whirl**

Direct from its all summer run at the New York Casino, with its big cast and production.

**Company of 80, Chorus of 60**

—With—

**CHARLES J. ROSS**

Of Ross &amp; Fenton.

Songs that are catchy, songs that are tuneful, songs that are a novelty, songs that start your feet pattering.

**PRICES**Entire orchestra ..... \$1.50  
Balcony ..... 50c, 75c, \$1.00  
Gallery ..... 25c, 35c  
Seats on Sale Monday 9 a.m.**EYES EXAMINED FREE****Stienfeld Optical Co.**

Optical Headquarters of Paducah.

609 BROADWAY.

African Lions, Portuguese, East Africa, is now a real paradise for numrods. British Africa is fast becoming a vast continental preserve, while the Portuguese dominions are not only open, but inviting. Lions abound, it appears, in the territories of the Portuguese company of the Boror region, which covers a vast extent of territory, to a degree which has become quite intolerable even for easy Portuguese ways. A proclamation has accordingly been published in the terms of which the company undertakes to pay \$25 for every lion's head brought in and to leave the skin to the slayer.

"Rustins, you look ne though you had been run through a cedar mill. What's the matter with your face?" "Oval-confidence, suh." "Over-confidence?" "Yes, suh. Oval-confidence in my lads, I thought I could call a man a lass an' git away—an' I didn't git away suth."—Chicago Tribune.

Doubt is the one foe that dogma has never yet been able to completely conquer.

A cheerful gift lightens the load.



Cut Prices in Dental Work Until April 1st.

Gold Shell Crowns ..... \$3.50  
Gold Fillings ..... \$1.00 up  
Silver Fillings ..... .75c  
Partial Plates ..... \$5.00

All work guaranteed.

Cut this coupon out and bring it with you. It is worth \$1.00. Each person is limited to one coupon for each job of plate or bridge work only. Until after April 1, '07.

**Dr. King Brooks**

DENTIST.

Sixth and Broadway.

**JERK WATER TOWNS IN KITTY LEAGUE**

Pana, Champaign and Paris, Ill., Included

C. C. Gosnell Will Be Elected President and Paducah and Cairo Will Be Dropped.

**DANVILLE WILL HAVE A TEAM**

Danville may have a team in the Kitty league after all, according to news that comes from Centralia, where the league meeting was held Sunday.

Here is the report sent out concerning this move:

"Although the present owners of the Danville club may refuse to again place it in the league the territory still belongs to the Kitty and will be used by it. Another man whose name was not announced informed those at the meeting that he would place a team in Danville if given the opportunity.

**Jerkwater League in Prospect.**

The league meeting was a good deal of a frost. Nothing was done except to release Jacksonville from the league and to arrange another meeting. There were representatives there from Centralia, Pana, Mattoon and Vincennes and it seems likely that these cities with Paris, and Champaign added or Danville, if there is anything in the report given above, will compose the league. This league, composed of such small towns, could hardly be expected to last much past the Fourth of July if it got that far. Cairo and Paducah.

There was no action taken toward dropping Cairo and Paducah from the league, but this will likely be done when the magnates are to meet at Pana and perfect the organization of a new Kitty. At this meeting the formation of the league will be completed and officers for the coming year will be elected. Paducah and Cairo will be asked to send representatives to the meeting and unless they come they are practically certain to be dropped. It is believed they will not come as Paducah is anxious to quit league baseball and Cairo cannot expect a berth with Paducah absent because of its location.

C. Gosnell of Vincennes, will be re-elected president of the league having announced that he would accept the office. He will also take charge of the Vincennes team.

Notice to First Meeting of Creditors, in the District Court of the United States for the Western District of Kentucky, in Bankruptcy.

In the matter of Ernest Rehkopf, Bankrupt.

To the creditors of Ernest Rehkopf of Paducah in the county of McCracken and district of aforesaid, a bankrupt: Notice is hereby given that on the 19th day of January, A. D., 1907, the said Ernest Rehkopf was duly adjudicated bankrupt, and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at my office in Paducah, McCracken county, Kentucky, on the 9th day of February, A. D., 1907, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt and transact such other business as may come before said meeting.

EMMET W. BAGBY,  
Referee in Bankruptcy.  
Paducah, Ky., Jan. 30, 1907.

**CANCEL SOCIAL ENGAGEMENTS**

Chicago Quarantine Is Becoming Stringent.

Chicago Jan. 31.—As a result of the scarlet fever epidemic which seems to be sweeping the city, Chicago was placed in state quarantine today, and the health department issued a bulletin requesting that all social engagements be canceled for the time. City officials regard the situation as extremely grave.

The Transvaal gold average is half an ounce to the ton.

The Report from Calcutta is that the experiment of growing Havana and Virginia tobacco in British India is a demonstrated success; the growers are making money.

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Rudy, Phillips & Co.  
219-223 BROADWAY

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REMNANTS of every description--of Silks, Woolens and Cottons. Remnants derived from our WHITE GOODS SALE, our GENERAL CLEARANCE SALE and our JANUARY SILK SALE--all just closed, naturally leaving behind lots of short ends--pieces just long enough for waists, skirts, children's dresses and the like--just the length that you want and just the length that we do not want. So in order to give you what you want and to get rid of what we don't want we are going to set aside one day--Friday--for one big Remnant Sale Day--and sell for this day only

All Remnants

1-3 Off

All pieces will be out on counters and plainly marked so that you can easily find what you need and can know exactly what it will cost by deducting yourself one-third of the marked price. We want to sell on this day every remnant we have in the house, and it is an excellent opportunity for you to buy what you want at the price, one-third off on

Remnants Friday

Follies of Eccentricity. Genius and imitators of Genius have what The Reader calls eccentricities. Here are some examples:

A lady of Putney, returning from a walk, thought she was late for lunch. She met a dapper little man and asked him the time. He drew himself to his full height, and, flashing a withering glance at her, exclaimed, with a motion of his hand, "Get out of my way, woman!" It was Mr. Swinburne, disturbed in his converse with Musgoe.

The great men and the stranger generally strike a spark of humor. Do you remember the story of the great Duke of Wellington, who was

puzzled at the crossing by Apsley House. A pompous stranger helped him across, and on the pavement expressed his pride and satisfaction at having been the means under Providence of assisting the greatest soldier of this or any other age. That was enough for the duke. He said the right thing. He said, "Don't be a d--- foot, sir!"

A pessimist can with no other provocation than a piece of dream cake evolve a nightmare.

The man who marries for gold soon conceives a contempt for its preciousness.

### Removal Sale of A. Pollock's Jewelry Store

About February 15th we will take possession of our new store room--now occupied by the Great Pacific Tea and Coffee Co., 333 Broadway. In the meantime we have made startling reductions on our entire line of Watches, Diamonds and Jewelry. This for two reasons: First, we wish to move as little as possible of the present and, when we get into our new location, we mean to have a clean, new stock. If you need anything in our line give us a call, for we have made a cut of 50 per cent in many instances.

**A. POLLOCK**  
640 Broadway. Empire Building

### FOUR MILLIONS STARVE TO DEATH

#### Condition of China Impossible to Conceive

Epidemics in Concentration Camps Add to Horrors of Situation of Interior.

#### SOME INCIDENTS REVOLTING.

Washington, Jan. 31.—The appalling conditions in China as the result of famine, as told in Chinese newspapers and other mail advices reaching the state department, coupled with the warning given by Consul-General Rodgers of the possible effects of the outbreaks which daily occur in the famine district, have attracted the attention of the government authorities, and developments will be closely watched.

One of the greatest dangers which the relief workers confront is an epidemic, in the great concentration camps which have been formed by refugees, who have fled from the stricken districts to the south by tens of thousands, the people live, some of them only partially clothed, others entirely naked, in mud huts held together by matting. Medical supplies and skill are badly needed in these self-formed camps, as well as food and clothing.

The native officials and authorities are doing their utmost to control the situation, but the task is now far beyond them, and outside aid is badly needed. The government has opened public relief works where men can secure employment. Estimates have been made of the cost of feeding each starving person, and the total amount will reach close to \$20,000 daily. This estimate is based on a calculation that 4,000,000 people are actually starving.

Some of the incidents of the famine related in the Chinese press are most revolting. A story is told of one family—the mother and father and two children. The mother left home in a search for food. While she was away the father, despairing of aid, threw both children into the river. The mother returned and, learning what happened, threw herself into the river and drowned. The grief-stricken father followed, and thus the whole family perished.

**Louisville's Bad Milk Supply.**  
Louisville, Jan. 31.—The startling statement was made by Dr. M. K. Allen, city health officer, that between 15 and 30 per cent. of the milk cows from which the supply of Louisville is drawn are tuberculous, and therefore unfit to produce milk. Tuberculosis tests recently conducted by the department or by veterinaries in their employ, disclosed the fact in one instance that 12 cows out of a herd of 35 were tuberculous, and that these were at once segregated. The fact that reaction after inoculation shows tuberculous nodules is sufficient to warrant condemnation of the animal, although in most cases it is still available for beef purposes.

**Edwin S. Cramp** believes that the policy of the American navy will tend in the direction of smaller fleets of larger vessels, following the lead of England and other countries.

It often takes a really great man to properly attend to the little things in this life.

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### JERUSALEM

#### NOTICEABLE INCREASE OF JEWISH POPULATION THERE.

Although Persecuted Many Are Prospering and By Right Denying Wu Confidence.

Washington, Jan. 31.—Although the laws of the Ottoman empire forbid persons of Jewish birth to own property or to do business or even live in Palestine, there are between 50,000 and 60,000 of that race resident in Jerusalem alone, and their number is gradually increasing, says William E. Curtis. The colony has doubled during the last twenty-five years, and now constitutes about three-fourths of the population of the holy city, notwithstanding the regulation prohibiting immigration, and most of the newcomers are entirely or in part dependent upon the charity of their American and European brethren. They come chiefly for sentimental and religious reasons, but a considerable number are engaged in business and have been eminently successful. They, more than the other races, are oppressed by taxation and blackmail. The local officials usually require them to pay one-tenth of all they produce as taxes and often seize one-half or two-thirds of their crops or any property of value that can be attached.

It is very difficult for a Jew to do business in Palestine for this reason. The local authorities feel at liberty to help themselves to anything he has. He has no protection in the courts or from any other source, because, technically, he has no right in the country, and hence the police officials can rob and blackmail him without more. This is said to be one of the reasons why the Jews live in suchretched houses and such squat over all over Palestine. Some rich men have been able to protect themselves by paying blackmail. One Jew in Jerusalem is credited with several millions of dollars, which he has made contracting with the government, making loans and speculating in various ways. He has the confidence of the authorities, and it is said that they prefer to trade with him rather than with any other person.

### NEWS OF KENTUCKY

Broke Through the Ice.  
Sturgis, Ky., Jan. 31.—Last evening at 5 o'clock the first fatality of the high waters occurred, which was at Boxtown, a colored settlement of Sturgis. While attempting to cross the ice which had formed on the water, which was high in the settlement Drew Anderson, a resident, had almost reached his destination, when the ice broke, letting him in over his head. His son Willie, in attempting to save him, came near losing his own life.

Hot Cigarette Ashes in Powder Keg.  
Hopkinsville, Ky., Jan. 31.—Hot cigarette ashes carelessly dropped into a powder can nearly half full of the explosive caused the grocery of Jim Buckner, near the city limits, to be wrecked and set on fire, the building

at the father, and in the fight which ensued Lykins was shot in the head, killing him instantly. No arrests have as yet been made, and it is not known as to whether Atkinson is in hiding.

#### Four Preachers on a Jury.

Mt. Sterling, Ky., Jan. 31.—In the circuit court today, something unheard of before in the history of the state occurred, when four preachers, the Reverends Meacham, Joplin, Turner and Hobbs, were accepted on a jury to try a case of illegal voting against Clarke Goodpastor. A large crowd was in court to witness the unusual spectacle.

What She Wanted: He—"Marry me and you shall want for nothing." She—"But I don't want to want for nothing. I want to want for something I want."—Philadelphia Press.

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Near city, fertile, high, dry land, in best neighborhood; Have just platted into lots of about five acres each the 240 acre (Williams) tract, joining the Pines lands on west. Bounded next to city by Perkins Creek and Pines lands between, Buckner Lane Road and Hinkleville Gravel Road. Has 4138 feet frontage on Buckner Lane Road, said road just graced. In front of this land, has 757 feet front on Hinkleville Gravel Road, and plat gives 40 feet cross roads through the tract, so that each and every lot fronts either on these gravel roads or these newly opened roads. Most of the lots front at each end on these roads. No nice land in McCracken county. The 20 acres front on Hinkleville road has nice grove of forest trees on it and lays so as to make ideal residence sites.

Price on the Hinkleville road front is \$100.00 per acre, of which \$10 acre cash and balance in monthly or quarterly payments running five years. All other lots \$65 acre on same terms. While these prices are uniform, there is difference in desirability of lots and first customers get choice. Come and see plat and list men who have taken dozen lots before I could get the parcels staked off. For home or investment lots you lose opportunity if you fail to take this. On one lot is new 5-room house which is priced at \$800 additional to cost of land at \$65 acre.

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GOOD ROADS STATISTICS.

According to Collier's figures, between the beginning of 1896 and the close of 1906, New York spent out of her state treasury the sum of \$50,000,000 in the important work of making roads good where roads had been bad, and during the same period the counties of the state expended the same amount, making New York the leader in the work with a ten year expenditure of \$100,000,000 or \$10,000,000 per annum. Certainly that is a very large amount to spend in one year on the making of good roads—but the beauty of it is that New York is proceeding in the work with increasing expenditures for good roads, and the farmers of the state are exceedingly joyful over the fact because of the enormous saving they make in hauling their products to market, or to the railway station or to the wharfborts.

It is not hard to see why they rejoice. The saving a farmer would make because of good roads would immeasurably exceed the amount of taxes paid for the making of roads as they ought to be made. Moreover the work is being done so carefully, especially with reference to the foundation, that the prospect of increased taxation for good roads grows smaller with each year.

Pennsylvania is not to be considered as out of the running in the race for good roads notwithstanding she is not up to the rank of New York. Within the past six years she has expended from her state treasury the sum of \$6,000,000. Individual cities and districts have expended in addition the sum of \$1,500,000, making a six-year total of \$7,500,000, a most creditable showing. In Pennsylvania, as in New York, the road tax is paid with cheerfulness for the farmer knows that good roads save him largely from expenses, and the merchant knows that good roads bring the farmer to his counters and his bargains.

In all, there are nineteen out of the forty-five states giving state aid to roads with their political subdivisions adding largely to the work from their municipal and county treasuries.—Fulton Leader.

—PINAFOR UP-TO-DATE.

The conundrum of the hour is Swettenham. Everybody is wondering what made him do it, and nobody can find out. London is as much in the dark about the matter as Washington. You may say that it takes an Englishman to read an Englishman, but Mayfair and Whitechapel are alike in sea to Swettenham. He has all of them side-stepping.

In groping around for reasons why Swettenham has seized the occasion of a sober international episode to exploit himself as a Dogberry, it is surmised that his conduct was inspired by resentment of President Roosevelt's attitude toward Jamaican negroes in Panama. Others explain the incident by the president's refusal to accept British aid for San Francisco. Again, there is the notion that something devolved on a man with a name like Swettenham.

But none of these theories takes the affair out of the realm of pure conjecture. Until science evolves some plan by which experts can take a look at the inside of the heads of persons like Swettenham their acts must remain a dense mystery.

But that is no reason why some clever librettist should not seize the radiant opportunity offered by the Kingston incident to eclipse the opera of "Pinafora," the chef d'œuvre of Gilbert and Sullivan.—Kansas City Times.

There are many touching incidents in the career of a chronic borrower,

## BUTCHERS' SIDE OF CONTROVERSY

### ARE WILLING TO ABIDE BY ANY REASONABLE RULES

They feel injustice will be done if they are compelled to move outside.

### SANITARY SLAUGHTER HOUSES.

From the viewpoint of the butchers in the city, the attitude of the two boards of health, city and country, that they cannot operate slaughter houses either in the city or country, places them in a predicament which has no choice for them. The only way out of it, if the two boards maintain their positions, seems through a central abattoir. Discussing the question this morning from the butchers' viewpoint Mr. Charles Smith, said:

"As far as I am concerned, and I think I voice the sentiments of the other butchers, I would suggest that rigid rules for the sanitary conduct of slaughter houses be approved by the board of health and sufficiently heavy fines imposed as a penalty to insure the practical application of the rules. Their objection to the slaughter houses in the city, is that they are a nuisance. Large packing houses are situated in the heart of big cities and it ought to be possible to regulate them in Paducah so that they would not be objectionable.

"Take my position for instance. If I am ordered to move my slaughter house into the country two miles or more, it will necessitate my moving to the country also, because I must be near it. Connected with me are three families, which would have to move out also, and that would throw three of my houses vacant. The same thing would be necessary for many other butchers in the city.

"We have no quarrel with the members of the board of health. They doubtless are doing their duty as they see it. The only thing is, we think we have interests which it seems are being needlessly sacrificed. I want to conduct my business in a sanitary way and am willing to abide by the rules they lay down."

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HOTEL ARRIVALS.

Palmier—Basile Duke, Cincinnati; W. P. Robinson, Louisville; J. L. Wells, Cincinnati; L. T. Earley, Cincinnati; G. H. Kummer, Chicago; J. W. Day, Owensboro; W. L. Moore, Chicago; W. H. Clymer, Philadelphia; J. E. Robbins, Mayfield; W. F. Cowper, Smithland; L. L. Harris, Cedar Falls, Ia.; George Darell, Wickliffe; A. H. Egan, Louisville; D. B. Morris, St. Louis; E. S. Swanson, Chicago.

Bolivedore—J. H. Altman, Louisville; B. L. Bussey, Clinton; J. H. Hembrow, Louisville; C. H. Bailey, Chicago; George Allen, Louisville; W. H. Mathis, Louisville; Bunk Gardner, Mayfield.

New Richmond—Mrs. H. P. Rider Memphis; C. H. Eggner, Canton; George Doubleday, Nashville; J. A. Faris, Decatur, Ala.; H. Polson, Evansville; Tom Hardin, Rock Castle; M. E. Hackett, Flint, Mich.; J. W. Chambers, Arlington; W. N. Allison, Wingo; J. N. Kickasola, Unionville, Ill.; Hodges Decker, Mount City, Ill.; J. R. Chandler, Bldg., Bldg., Telephone 127.

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Maudie—"Tom is a strange fellow. He proposed to me in church last Sunday during the sermon."

Belle—"Are you sure he wasn't talking in his sleep dear?"—Boston Transcript.

### BEAUTY AND THE BEAST.

Recollections of Two Famous Circus Features.

"Charlie Day originally the expression of 'the \$10,000 beauty.' You hear that used pretty often, but very few persons know just where it came from. It occurred to Charlie Day's bright mind many years ago that a good advertising stunt would be to offer a prize of \$10,000 for the most beautiful girl in America under the stipulation that she would allow the show to exhibit her for one year after the award of the prize.

"There were a good many catchy features to the game, as you can see for yourself. The competition was frightful, and we had the greatest difficulty in judging just who was the best out of hundreds of girls and thousands of photographs that were submitted to us. Louise Montagu was the first beauty, and we advertised her from one end of the country to the other.

"John Robinson, in his show, got on to the same game, and played Frankie Bailey for his exhibit. He advertised her as a \$10,000 beauty, and everywhere you would go you would see a Robinson placard with this legend staring you in the face. Frankie got a lot of free advertising this way, but Louise was really the first \$10,000 beauty." She was a peach, too.

"It's odd how the mind works, but just after talking about the \$10,000 beauty and Frankie Bailey, as I stand here looking at you, I think of Zip, Barnum's 'What Is It?'

"On, go ahead, don't mind me," interrupted his companion deprecatingly. "Think ahead. I don't mind it at all."

"No offense, no offense," said Mr. Dawson hastily. "I was just struck with the peculiar way things came out. You would not think that the picture of old Zip should cross my mind just after he had held that of Frankie Bailey, for there wasn't any resemblance at all."

"Zip was a darky who the show picked up down South. We shaved off much of his hair, whitened his eyebrows, blacked the hollows under his eyes, hung a ring from his nose, and then put chains on him and turned him loose.

"There was a great stunt we had in small towns where we wanted to stir up interest in the side show. The press agent would go into the tent where the 'wild man' was kept. There would be frightful snarling and rattling of chains, and then whoop-la! Under the canvas there would come Zip with a demoniac countenance and yet that would stir a hyena to emulation. Then the press agent would stagger out with his clothing all rumpled and awry.

"Stop him! My God, stop him!" he would yell, throwing his hands up in the air, and then the show hands, who were ready for the game, would rush out from behind wagons and tents and give glad pursuit. "At last they would get up close to the wild man and some fleet person would make a daring tackle. Then all the show hands would come running up, eager for a chance to jump on Zip. It was worse than a football game.

"The rubes, of course, for whose benefit this was all done, were usually by this time either miles up the country making record-breaking time or roosting in tall trees as a hull were after them. From the heap of circus men on the ground Zip would at least emerge, and held firmly by his broken chains and frothing at the mouth, he would be led back to the arena.

"We used to pay him \$1 per day extra for every time we did this stunt, and it was worth it. It was a sight for sore eyes to see the joyous way in which those circus men jumped on him when once they got him to the ground. They did it with a wild abandon that would have deeply wounded Zip's sensibilities if he hadn't been so busy looking out for his physical welfare."—Baltimore Sun.

Absent-Minded.

Representative Mann of Illinois, is absent-minded, so much so that it bothers him a great deal.

"I can't explain it," he told Representative Bonelli, "but it worries me a great deal."

"Oh! you are not absent-minded," Bonelli said. "An absent-minded man is one who thinks he has left his watch at home and then puts it out of his pocket to see if he has time enough to go home and get it."

JAPS IN CALIFORNIA.

Why the Whites Object So Strongly to the Little Brown Men.

The Japanese coolie who mes to California, for the most part, is not an unskilled laborer. He is a cobbler, tailor, gardener, cook, waiter, or one or other of a dozen classes of workers, as the case may be. He can, and does live just as cheaply as the Chinaman. A handful of rice, a little dried fish and a cup of tea make a square meal for him. And we feel convinced that if he be allowed to come to these shores in undiminished numbers he will ultimately drive us.

Since the disastrous conflagration of last April the situation has been intensified by the manner in which many white tenants were practically evicted from their homes by Japanese themselves in one of the most de-

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According to Connor's figures, between the beginning of 1896 and the close of 1906, New York spent out of her state treasury the sum of \$50,000,000 in the important work of making roads good where roads had been bad, and during the same period the counties of the state expended the same amount, making New York the leader in the work with a ten year expenditure of \$100,000,000 or \$10,000,000 per annum. Certainly that is a very large amount to spend in one year on the making of good roads—but the beauty of it is that New York is proceeding in the work with increasing expenditures for good roads, and the farmers of the state are exceedingly joyful over the fact because of the enormous saving they make in hauling their products to market, or to the railway station or to the wharfs.

It is not hard to see why they rejoice. The saving a farmer would make because of good roads would immeasurably exceed the amount of taxes paid for the making of roads as they ought to be made. Moreover the work is being done so carefully, especially with reference to the foundation, that the prospect of increased taxation for good roads grows smaller with each year.

Pennsylvania is not to be considered as out of the running in the race for good roads notwithstanding she is not up to the rank of New York. Within the past six years she has expended from her state treasury the sum of \$6,000,000. Individual cities and districts have expended in addition the sum of \$1,500,000, making a six-year total of \$7,500,000, a most creditable showing. In Pennsylvania, as in New York, the road tax is paid with cheerfulness for the farmer knows that good roads save him largely from expenses, and the merchant knows that good roads bring the farmer to his counters and his bargains.

In all, there are nineteen out of the forty-five states giving state aid to roads with their political subdivisions adding largely to the work from their municipal and county treasuries.—Fulton Leader.

## PINAFOR UP-TO-DATE.

The conundrum of the hour is Swettenden. Everybody is wondering what made him do it, and nobody can find out. London is as much in the dark about the matter as Washington. You may say that it takes an Englishman to read an Englishman, but Mayfair and Whitechapel are alike as set to Swettenden. He has all of them side-stepping.

In groping around for reasons why Swettenden has seized the occasion of a sober international episode to exploit himself as a Dogberry, it is surmised that his conduct was inspired by resentment of President Roosevelt's attitude toward Jumalican negroes in Panama. Others explain the incident by the president's refusal to accept British aid for San Francisco. Again, there is the notion that something devolves on a man with a name like Swettenden.

But none of these theories takes the affair out of the realm of pure conjecture. Until science evolves some plan by which experts can take a look at the inside of the heads of persons like Swettenden their acts must remain a dense mystery.

But that is no reason why some clever librettist should not seize the radiant opportunity offered by the Kingston Incident to eclipse the opera of "Pinafor," the chef d'oeuvre of Gilbert and Sullivan.—Kansas City Times.

There are many touching incidents in the career of a chronic borrower.

## BUTCHERS' SIDE OF CONTROVERSY

## Are Willing to Abide by Any Reasonable Rules

They Feel Injustice Will Be Done If They Are Compelled to Move Outside.

## SANITARY SLAUGHTER HOUSES.

From the viewpoint of the butchers in the city, the attitude of the two boards of health, city and county, that they cannot operate slaughter houses either in the city or county, places them in a predicament which has no choice for them. The only way out of it, if the two boards maintain their positions, seems through a central abattoir. Discussing the question this morning from the butchers' viewpoint Mr. Charles Smith, said:

"As far as I am concerned, and I think I voice the sentiments of the other butchers, I would suggest that rigid rules for the sanitary conduct of slaughter houses be approved by the board of health and sufficiently heavy fines be imposed as a penalty to insure the practical application of the rules. Their objection to the slaughter houses in the city, is that they are a nuisance. Large packing houses are situated in the heart of big cities and it ought to be possible to regulate them in Paducah so that they would not be objectionable.

"Take my position for instance. If I am ordered to move my slaughter house into the country two miles or more, it will necessitate my moving to the country also, because I must be near it. Connected with me are three families, which would have to move out also, and that would throw three of my houses vacant. The same thing would be necessary for many other butchers in the city.

"We have no quarrel with the members of the board of health. They doubtless are doing their duty as they see it. The only thing is, we think we have interests which it seems being needlessly sacrificed. I want to conduct my business in a sanitary way and am willing to abide by the rules they lay down."

## For Sale or Rent.

Two story frame residence in choice locality on Jefferson street, convenient to city. Ten bed rooms, kitchen, dining room, two pantries, trunk rooms, closets throughout, attic, bath room, latticed back porch, two large halls, all hardwood finish down stairs. Room large, newly papered and attractive. Situated on an elevated lot 50x165. There is a good commodious stable, coal house and other out-buildings on the premises. Yard is well shaded and amply provided with concrete and bricked pavements. For rent at \$55 per month or for sale at \$6,000. H. C. Hollins, Trueheart Bldg. Telephone 127.

## HOTEL ARRIVALS.

Palmer—Badji Duke, Cincinnati; W. P. Robinson, Louisville; J. L. Weis, Cincinnati; L. T. Earley, Cincinnati; G. H. Kummer, Chicago; J. W. Day, Owensboro; W. L. Moore, Chicago; W. H. Clymer, Philadelphia; J. E. Robbins, Mayfield; W. F. Cowper, Smithland; L. L. Harris, Cedar Falls, Ia.; George Darem, Wickliffe; A. H. Egan, Louisville; D. B. Morris, St. Louis; E. S. Swanson, Chicago.

Bolender—J. H. Altman, Louisville; B. L. Bussey, Clinton; J. Hellbron, Louisville; C. H. Bailey, Chicago; George Allen, Louisville; W. H. Mathis, Louisville; Bunk Gardner, Mayfield.

New Richmond—Mrs. H. P. Rider, Memphis; C. H. Egger, Canton; George Doubleday, Nashville; J. A. Paris, Decatur, Ala.; H. Polson, Evansville; Tom Hardin, Rock Castle; M. E. Hackett, Flint, Mich.; J. W. Chambers, Arlington; W. N. Allison, Wingo; J. N. Klickasola, Unionville, Ill.; Hodge Decker, Mount City, Ill.; J. R. Chandler, Birdsville.

## For Sale.

Douche frame house, two stories, four blocks from Broadway on South Third street, between Clark and Adams, 16 rooms, 8 on each side. Sewerage connection, gas and city water. Lot 72x178 feet with stable, coal house and other out buildings, concrete sidewalk and brick street in front of premises. Excellent location for boarding house. Price \$4,000. H. C. Hollins, Trueheart Bldg., Telephone 127.

## JAPS IN CALIFORNIA.

Why the Whites Object So Strongly to the Little Brown Men.

The Japanese coolie who moves to California, for the most part, is not an unskilled laborer. He is a cobbler, tailor, gardener, cook, waiter, or one or other of a dozen classes of workers, as the case may be. He can, and does live just as cheaply as the Chinaman. A handful of rice, a little dried fish and a cup of tea make a square meal for him. And we feel convinced that if he be allowed to come to those shores in undiminished numbers he will ultimately drive many white tenants were practically evicted from their homes by Japanese. The latter elected to establish themselves in one of the most de-

## BEAUTY AND THE BEAST.

Recollections of Two Famous Circus Features.

"Charlie Day originally the expression of the \$10,000 beauty! You hear that used pretty often, but very few persons know just where it came from. It occurred to Charlie Day's bright mind many years ago that a good advertising stunt would be to offer a prize of \$10,000 for the most beautiful girl in America under the stipulation that she would allow the show to exhibit her for one year after the award of the prize.

"There were a good many catchy features to the game, as you can see for yourself. The competition was frightful, and we had the greatest difficulty in judging just who was the best out of hundreds of girls and thousands of photographs that were submitted to us. Louise Montagu was the first beauty, and we advertised her from one end of the country to the other.

"John Robinson, in his show, got on to the same game, and played Frankie Bailey for his exhibit. He advertised her as a \$10,000 beauty, and everywhere you would go you would see a Robinson placard with this legend staring you in the face. Frankie got a lot of free advertising this way, but Louise was really the first \$10,000 beauty." She was a peach, too.

"It's odd how the mind works, but just after talking about the \$10,000 beauty and Frankie Bailey, as I stand here looking at you, I think of Zip, Barnum's 'What Is It?'

"On, go ahead, don't mind me," interrupted his companion deprecatingly. "Think ahead. I don't mind it at all."

"No offense, no offense," said Mr. Dawson hastily. "I was just struck with the peculiar way things came out. You would not think that the picture of old Zip should cross my mind just after it had held that of Frankie Bailey, for there wasn't any resemblance at all.

"Zip was a darky who the show picked up down South. We shaved off much of his hair, whitened his eyebrows, blacked the hollows under his eyes, hung a ring from his nose, and then put chains on him and turned him loose.

"There was a great stunt we had in small towns where we wanted to stir up interest in the sideshow. The press agent would go into the tent where the 'wild man' was kept. There would be frightful snarling and rattling of chains, and then whoopie! Under the canvas there would come Zip with a demoniac countenance and yell that would stir a hyena to emulation. Then the press agent would stagger out with his clothing all rumpled and awry.

"Stop him! My God, stop him!" he would yell, throwing his hands up in the air, and then the show hands, who were ready for the game, would rush out from behind wagons and tents and give glad pursuit.

"At last they would get up close to the wild man and some fleet person would make a daring tackle. Then all the show hands would come running up, eager for a chance to jump on Zip. It was worse than a football game.

"The rubes, of course, for whose benefit this was all done, were usually by this time either miles up the country making record-breaking time or roosting in tall trees as if a bull were after them. From the heap of circus men on the ground Zip would at least emerge, and, held firmly by his broken chains and frothing at the mouth, he would be led back to durability.

"We used to pay him \$1 per day extra for every time we did this stunt, and it was worth it. It was a sight for sore eyes to see the joyous way in which those circus men jumped on him when once they got him to the ground. They did it with a wild abandon that would have deeply wounded Zip's sensibilities if he hadn't been so busy looking out for his physical welfare."—Baltimore Sun.

## Absent-Minded.

Representative Mann of Illinois is absent-minded, so much so that it bothers him a great deal.

"I can't explain it," he told Representative Boutelle, "but it worries me a great deal."

"Oh! you are not absent-minded," Boutelle said. "An absent-minded man is one who thinks he has left his watch at home and then pulls it out of his pocket to see if he has time enough to go home and get it."

## YOU DON'T HAVE TO WAIT.

Every dose makes you feel better. Laz-Fos keeps your whole bodies right. Sold on the money-back plan everywhere. Price 50 cents.

Maude—"Tom is a strange fellow.

He proposed to me in church last Sunday during the sermon."

Belle—"Are you sure he wasn't talking in his sleep, dear?"—Boston Transcript.

## FINAL REDUCTION

## All Records Are Broken for Reduced Prices on Strictly High Class Clothing

Note the latest reductions on Suits and Overcoats; compare the new, fresh stocks we offer with the selected lots of "odds and ends" and accumulated old stocks offered you elsewhere. Remember also we included Black and Blues and Raincoats; others never did this for you before. The New Store stands alone for the people.

## Lot No. 1

Contains all Men's Suits and Overcoats that sold for \$15.00 and \$12.50; as long as they are here, your fit and choice in the lot for

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Piano solo—"Murmuring Breezes," by Jensen Menann, Miss Mary Boling.

Soprano solo—"Die Dorell," by Franz List, Mrs. Letta Wade Lewis.

Paper—Miss Virginia Newell.

Bass solo—(Selected) Mr. Robert Scott.

Duet—(Selected) Mrs. David Flounoy and Mr. Richard Scott.

Soprano solo—(Selected) Miss Anne Bradshaw.

Piano duet—"Don Pasquale," by Donizetti, Miss Ada Brazelton and Mrs. George B. Hart.

Card Party This Afternoon.

Mrs. Helen Hecht is entertaining at cards this afternoon at her home on West Broadway, in honor of Mrs. J. Jacobi, of San Francisco; Mrs. Bernard Well, of Cleveland, Ohio; Miss Blum, of Nashville; Miss Levy, of New Orleans; Miss Carrie Well, of Cleveaud.

Dance Tonight.

The younger society men will entertain with a dance this evening at the Knights of Pythias hall.

As You Like It Club.

Mr. and Mrs. George Wallace will entertain this evening at their home on North Ninth street, in compliment to the As You Like It club.

Program for Alumni Meeting.

The Paducah High School Alumni will meet tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock at the High school auditorium on West Broadway. After the business session the following attractive musical program will be rendered:

Piano duet—Mrs. Lewis and Miss Puryear.

Vocal solo—Miss Nelle Henneberger.

Piano solo—Miss Maybelle Beyer.

Vocal solo—Mrs. Lela W. Lewis.

Piano duet—Misses Brazelton and Puryear.

Important Called Meeting.

The mothers of the children who will take part in the "Chrysanthemum dance" of "Flower Carnival" for the Public Fountain fund, are asked to meet tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock in the parlors of the Palmer House. Every mother is urgently requested to be present as it is very important.

D. A. R. Chapter.

The Paducah chapter Daughters of the American Revolution, will hold the regular February meeting tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock with Mrs. L. S. Dubois on Fountain avenue. The meeting will be opened by responses to roll call with quotations from George Washington, in honor of his birth month, and the members are requested to come prepared for this, and also, to be present promptly at 3 p.m.

Entertained Friends.

Miss Lillian Dickey, of Wheeler avenue, entertained a few friends at her home last evening.

Entre Nous Club.

The Entre Nous club was delightfully entertained yesterday afternoon by Miss Fraeze Wallace at her home on North Ninth street. In addition to the usual three club tables, there was one table of out-of-town guests.

J. M. CROSS, C. C.  
GEO. R. BROADFOOT, Clerk.

Subscribe for The Sun.

A Yawp of Joy.



This is the man who had a want, and knew just what he wanted—how to get it too! He put a little WANT AD. in this paper; Results were such he cut this lively caper.

These were: Mrs. William Brooton, of Georgia; Miss Wood, of Kansas; Miss Schrader, of Indiana; Miss Rhea, of Tennessee.

The club prize was captured by Miss Marjorie Bagby and the visitors' prize went to Miss Wood. A pretty luncheon was served.

Five Hundred Club.

Mrs. Saunders A. Fowler was the hostess of the Five Hundred Club yesterday afternoon at her home "Edgewood." It was a very delightful affair with seven tables of guests. The club prize was taken by Mrs. W. A. Gardner and the visitors' prize was won by Mrs. Clarence Sherrill. An attractive luncheon followed the game. The out-of-town guests present were: Mrs. William Sanders, of Columbus, Miss.; Mrs. S. C. Green, of Henderson; Miss Mabel Hart, of Henderson; Miss Bolle Lockett, of Henderson.

Theater Parties Last Night.

Mrs. William Hughes gave a double box party last evening at the Kentucky theater to see Charles Hanford in "Julius Caesar." The guests of honor were: Mr. and Mrs. William Sanders, of Columbus, Miss.; Mrs. S. C. Green, of Henderson; Miss Bolle Lockett, of Henderson.

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Mr. John G. Miller went to Frankfort yesterday on legal business.

Miss Mabel Roberts is ill from fever at her home, 314 Ohio street.

Mrs. William Brooton, of Atlanta, Ga., will leave Saturday for Helena, Ark., to attend the wedding of Miss Lala Martin and Mr. Fred Burdette.

Mrs. John S. Bleeker has gone to Nashville to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton Parks.

Mrs. Lula Bringhurst Epperson and Miss Molle Calabone, of Nashville, returned home yesterday after attending the wedding of Mrs. Epper's brother, Mr. Edward Bringhurst.

Mrs. Thomas C. Leech will leave Sunday for New York, whence she sails February 7 for Europe.

Miss Belle Lockett, of Henderson, will return home Saturday. She is the guest of Mrs. Mildred Davis.

Miss Ceil Reed, trustee in bankruptcy of John Brininger, of Gilbertsville, Marshall county, sold a gasoline boat at private sale yesterday to Thomas McCullough, of Gilbertsville, for \$750.

Mr. Robert Williams, the bicycle dealer, is recovering from an attack of appendicitis.

W. F. Cowper, of Smithland, is in the city.

Judge J. E. Rohrbach, of Mayfield, is in the city.

Superintendent A. H. Egan, of the Louisville division of the Illinois Central, is in the city.

Mrs. J. E. English and son, James Jr., and sister, Mrs. Fred Rudy, went to Lexington, Tenn., this morning.

Mr. H. Hill and wife, of Irondale, Mo., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Hall, of the south side.

Miss Dixie Euhanks, who has been ill, is convalescent.

Misses Clara Boile and Caroline Releke, of Paducah, will arrive Saturday to visit Mr. Charles Trueheart and with Mrs. W. O. Bailey will sail from New York on February 9 for a six months' trip abroad. They will travel through Europe and the Orient.—Louisville Evening Times.

Mrs. George Lehnhard, of 422 South Fourth street who underwent a surgical operation a few weeks ago, has been discharged from Riverside hospital.

Hon. D. A. Cross, judge of the Paducah police court, and bride, formerly Miss Irma Miller, of Baker's Station, Ky., arrived this morning at 9:30 o'clock and are stopping at the Hotel St. Nicholas. They will take up their residence at 707 South Fourth street as soon as it is made ready for them.

Mr. Herbert Hoover returned today from Jackson, Tenn.

Deeds Filed.

W. H. Hudson, administrator, to H. W. Rankin, power of attorney.

Lizzie Lena Greif to The Woman's club of Paducah, property on Kentucky avenue near Sixth street, \$4,000.

Alfred Boyd to Henry Beach, property on the Cairo road, \$140.

The county board of tax book supervisors is now assessing mortgages and notes, having finished reviewing the personal and real assessment on the books.

Paducah's Recruits.

This Sub-Station Banks With Cities Having Headquarters.

Though only a sub-station, Paducah ranks along with the districts themselves which include several sub-stations, in the record for recruiting soldiers for the army in January. Sergeant Blako had 27 recruits accepted in January out of 55 applicants. Unofficially it is known that the nearest approach to Paducah's record in the Evansville district is Mt. Vernon with seven recruits. It is the biggest mouth on record here. It may be that Paducah will grow to a size that will entitle it to being made a district itself with headquarters here and several sub-stations. Lieut. W. L. Redd accepted three men yesterday. They were J. L. Lowry, Dyersburg, hospital corps; Claude Pidcock, Princeton, and Cyril Miller, Golden Pond, for the Philippine service.

For Sale.

Frame residence of 12 rooms on Trimble street, baving cellar, four closets, bath, hot and cold water, grates throughout, large comfortable rooms, two attics. Lot 50x165, having large stable, cistern, winter and summer kitchen. Everything in good condition. H. C. Hollins, Trueheart Blvd Telephone 127.

The school board has received more than a dozen applications from persons desiring to be superintendent of the Paducah schools. Tuesday the board will decide when an election to fill the office will be held. Superintendent Lieb will tender his resignation at Tuesday's meeting.

IN THE COURTS

Circuit Court.

The Evansville Pressed Brick company this morning secured a verdict for \$10,180.80 against Edward Bridges, of Wabash, Ind., for a balance owing on brick. Bridges was given damages against the brick company in the sum of \$1,000. The Evansville firm sold Bridges brick with which to pave Paducah streets. Orders were delayed and Bridges suffered loss of time and money, he claims. Refusing to pay a claim of \$11,180.80 balance on the brick shipments, he was sued, and filed a counter claim of \$12,000 damages for delays. The evidence consumed all of yesterday. The jury returned a verdict this morning, giving Bridges \$1,000 damages, and a verdict to the brick firm for all sued for above amount.

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The Woman's club is meeting this afternoon at the parish house of Grace Episcopal church. A business session was held at 2:30 o'clock and at 3 o'clock the musical department of the club of which Mrs. James Welle is the chairman, had charge. The following is the attractive program for the afternoon:

Piano solo—"Murmuring Breezes," by Jensen Menann, Miss Mary Boling.

Soprano solo—"Die Doroll," by Franz List, Mrs. Leila Wade Lewis.

Paper—Miss Virginia Newell.

Bass solo—(Selected) Mr. Robert Scott.

Duet—(Selected) Mrs. David Flourney and Mr. Richard Scott.

Soprano solo—(Selected) Miss Anne Bradshaw.

Piano duet—"Don Pasquale," by Donizetti, Miss Ada Brazelton and Mrs. George B. Hart.

Card Party This Afternoon.

Mrs. Helen Hecht is entertaining at cards this afternoon at her home on West Broadway, in honor of Mrs. J. Jacobl, of San Francisco; Mrs. Bernhard Well, of Cleveland, Ohio; Miss Blum, of Nashville; Miss Levy, of New Orleans; Miss Carrie Well, of Cleveland.

Dance Tonight.

The younger society men will entertain with a dance this evening at the Knights of Pythias hall.

As You Like It Club.

Mr. and Mrs. George Wallace will entertain this evening at their home on North Ninth street, in compliment to the As You Like It club.

Program for Alumni Meeting.

The Paducah High School Alumni will meet tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock at the High school auditorium on West Broadway. After the business session the following attractive musical program will be rendered:

Piano duet—Mrs. Lewis and Miss Puryear.

Vocal solo—Miss Nellie Henneberger.

Piano solo—Miss Maybelle Beyer.

Vocal solo—Mrs. Leila W. Lewis.

Piano duet—Misses Brazelton and Puryear.

Important Called Meeting.

The mothers of the children who will take part in the "Oryzanthemum dance" of "Flower Carnival" for the Public Fountain fund, are asked to meet tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock in the parlors of the Palmer House. Every mother is urgently requested to be present as it is very important.

D. A. R. Chapter.

The Paducah chapter Daughters of the American Revolution, will hold the regular February meeting tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock with Mrs. L. S. Dubois on Fountain avenue. The meeting will be opened by responses to roll call with quotations from George Washington, in honor of his birth month, and the members are requested to come prepared for this, and also, to be present promptly at 3 p. m.

Entertained Friends.

Miss Lillian Dickey, of Wheeler avenue, entertained a few friends at her home last evening.

Entre Nous Club.

The Entre Nous club was delightfully entertained yesterday afternoon by Miss Frances Wallace at her home on North Ninth street. In addition to the usual three club tables, there was one table of out-of-town guests.

J. M. CROSS, C. C.  
GEO. R. BROADFOOT, Clerk.

Subscribe for The Sun.

A Yawp of Joy.



This is the man who had a want, and knew just what he wanted—how to get it too! He put a little WANT AD. in this paper. Results were such he cuts this lively caper.

These were: Mrs. William Booton, of Georgia; Miss Wood, of Kansas; Miss Schraeder, of Indiana; Miss Rhea, of Tennessee.

The club prize was captured by Miss Marjorie Bagby and the visitors' prize went to Miss Wood. A pretty luncheon was served.

Five Hundred Club.

Mrs. Saunders A. Fowler was the hostess of the Five Hundred club yesterday afternoon at her home "Edgewood." It was a very delightful affair with seven tables of guests. The club prize was taken by Mrs. W. A. Gardner and the visitors' prize was won by Mrs. Clarence Sherrill. An attractive luncheon followed the game. The out-of-town guests present were: Mrs. William Sanders, of Columbus, Miss.; Mrs. S. C. Green, of Henderson; Miss Mabel Hart, of Henderson; Miss Belle Lockett, of Henderson.

Theater Parties Last Night.

Mrs. William Hughes gave a double box party last evening at the Kentucky theater to see Charles Hanford in "Julius Caesar." The guests of honor were: Mr. and Mrs. William Sanders, of Columbus, Miss.; Mrs. S. C. Green, of Henderson; Miss Belle Lockett, of Henderson, and Miss Mabel Hart, of Henderson.

Circuit Court.

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In Bankruptcy.

W. D. Melton, of Bandana, has been summoned to appear before Federal Judge Walter Evans at Louisville February 7 and show cause why he should not be forced into bankruptcy. Several firms, Frank Bros., this city, among them, filed a petition asking that Melton be forced into bankruptcy.

Wade Brown, Deputy U. S. marshal, went to Smithland today to serve papers on Jesse D. Foley summoning him to appear before Federal Judge Walter Evans February 9 and show cause why he should not be thrown into bankruptcy. Marshal Brown will then go to Hampton, Livingston county, to serve papers in the bankrupt case of J. H. Nelson & Sons.

Cecil Reed, trustee in bankruptcy of John Ballinger, of Gilbertsville, Marshall county, sold a gasoline boat at private sale yesterday to Thomas McCullough, of Gilbertsville, for \$750.

Federal Court.

The West Kentucky Coal company has filed suit in federal court against the Cumberland River Mining company for \$1,000, the value of a barge. Last summer the towing company rented a barge from the coal company and it was sunk in Cumberland river in tow by the Terre Haute.

Mrs. J. E. English and son, James, Jr., and sister, Mrs. Fred Rudy, went to Lexington, Tenn., this morning.

Mr. H. Hall and wife, of Irondale, Mo., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Hall, of the south side.

Miss Dixie Eubanks, who has been ill, is convalescent.

Misses Clara Boile and Caroline Releke, of Paducah, will arrive Saturday to visit Mr. Charles Truesheart and with Mrs. W. O. Bailey will sail from New York on February 9 for a six months' trip abroad. They will travel through Europe and the Orient—Louisville Evening Times.

Mrs. George Lehnhard, of 422 South Fourth street who underwent a surgical operation a few weeks ago, has been discharged from Riverside hospital.

Hon. D. A. Cross, judge of the Paducah police court, and bride, formerly Miss Irma Miller, of Baker's Station, Ky., arrived this morning at 9:30 o'clock and are stopping at the Hotel St. Nicholas. They will take up their residence at 797 South Fourth street as soon as it is made ready for them.

Mr. Herbert Hoover returned today from Jackson, Tenn.

Deeds Filed.

W. H. Hindson, administrator, to H. W. Rankin, power of attorney.

Lizzie Lena Greif to The Woman's club of Paducah, property on Kentucky avenue near Sixth street, \$4,000.

Alfred Boyd to Henry Beach, property on the Cairo road, \$140.

The county board of tax commissioners is now assessing mortgages and notes, having finished reviewing the personal and real assessment on the books.

PADUCAH'S RECRUITS.

This Sub-Station Ranks With Cities Having Headquarters.

Though only a sub-station, Paducah ranks along with the districts themselves which include several sub-stations, in the record for recruiting soldiers for the army in January. Sergeant Blake had 27 recruits accepted in January out of 55 applicants. Unofficially it is known that the nearest approach to Paducah's record in the Evansville district is Mt. Vernon with seven recruits. It is the biggest month on record here. It may be that Paducah will grow to a size that will entitle it to being made a district itself with headquarters here and several sub-stations. Lieut. W. L. Reid accepted three men yesterday. They were J. L. Lowry, Dycusburg, hospital corps; Claude Pidcock, Princeton, and Cyril Miller, Golden Pond, for the Philippine service.

For Sale.

Framo residence of 12 rooms on Trimble street, having cellar, four closets, bath, hot and cold water, grates throughout, large comfortable rooms, two attics. Lot 56x165.

having large stable, cistern, winter and summer kitchen. Everything in good condition. H. C. Hollins, Trueheart Bldg. Telephone 127.

The school board has received more than a dozen applications from persons desiring to be superintendent of the Paducah schools. Tuesday the board will decide when an election to fill the office will be held. Superintendent Lieut. will tender his resignation at Tuesday's meeting.

For Rent.

High & Browder, proprietors. Bots phone 1507.

LOST—Large purse containing spectacles and case, on market this morning. Please return to this office and receive reward.

WANTED—Industrious young man for bookkeeper, stenographer and office work. Must write good hand and have good habits. Address X., this office.

FOR SALE—Lease on flat in Cochran apartments, and a lot of handsome furniture, carpets and draperies in use only two weeks. Apply at the flat.

A REWARD will be paid for the return of white buck terrier puppy answering the name of "Hooligan" or "Irish" to The Sun office, otherwise prosecution will follow.

WANTED—Board and room between Ninth and Twelfth on Broadway or Jefferson, by young man. Private family preferred. Address K., care Sun.

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# FRIDAY SPECIAL

LAST Friday we put on what was, perhaps, the best special it has ever been our pleasure to offer, but owing to the bad weather, many of our friends were prevented from attending. The sale was one of unusual importance, for it practically meant a CLEARANCE SALE IN THE CHINA AND QUEENSWARE DEPARTMENT of all odds and ends, so we have added several new lines and will give you another chance

## FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 1ST

**Bring Your Baskets,** as we will make no deliveries, and get as many of each article as you wish, as long as they last. The list below will give you a faint idea of the opportunities for money-saving contained on our Big Bargain Counter.

### FULL ASSORTMENT OF PRESS CUT GLASSWARE

Syrup Stands, each	5c
Cuspidores, each	15c
Decorated Cake Plate, each	10c
China Covered Dishes, each	25c
Gravy Boats, each	10c
Covered Sugars, each	10c
Coffee Mills, each	15c
Long Handle Basting Spoons, each	1c
Wire Table Mats, each	1c
7 Piece Glass Berry Sets, per set	30c
After Dinner White Cups and Saucers, per set	10c
Cream Pitchers, each	5c
Covered Butter, each	10c
No. 1 Lamps complete, each	15c
½ Gal Granite Coffee Pot, each	25c
Guaranteed Butcher Knives, each	10c
Glass Water Bottles, each	10c
Roasting Pans, each	15c
14 Qt. Dish Pan, each	10c
China Bakers, each	10c
No. 1 Lamp Chimneys, 2 for	5c
Ind. Butter Dishes, per dozen	5c

### EXTRA SPECIAL

As long as they last we will offer you those beautiful 15x18 Pictures, which were left over from our Friday before last sale for  
**20 CENTS EACH**

THIS SALE STARTS PROMPTLY AT 8:30 O'CLOCK



### COLD STORAGE

PRODUCTS DETERIORATE AFTER SO LONG A TIME.

Dr. Wiley, Chief of Chemistry Bureau, Department of Agriculture, Testifies.

Washington, Jan. 31.—There is a limit to the time food may be kept in cold storage, and with some articles deterioration begins at once, according to Dr. Harvey W. Wiley, chief of the chemistry bureau and the government's pure food expert. Dr. Wiley's testimony before the house committee on agriculture during the hearings on the agricultural appropriation bill, were made public today. Two cold storage warehouses are at Dr. Wiley's disposal in Washington, and he gave the results he has attained by experiments with all sorts of foodstuffs.

"Milk begins to deteriorate right away, and so does cream," said Dr. Wiley. "Eggs also begin to deteriorate immediately. Fruit is improved and sometimes continues to improve for 3 months. Meats improves up to about six or eight weeks. But after three months for meat you can see that it has reached the maximum, and then it begins to go down. I do not care how hard it is frozen."

"We find that meats do not taste as well and they do not smell as well, and every time the jury can pick

that which has been kept over three months. Take our word. We have quail a year old and we have a fresh quail cooked at the same time. We cook them just alike, and you can distinguish between them, first by their looks, and then by smell and taste. Every time the jury can pick them out blindfolded."

Dr. Wiley stated that he is a thorough believer in cold storage and believes that most foods improve when properly kept for short time, but he said the object of his experiments is to tell the public, and particularly the cold storage people, how long they may safely keep articles of food in storage. He said that as yet he has been unable to determine whether drawn or undrawn poultry keeps better.

MCCLELLAN LANDS ONE.

Takes Away a Bit of Graft From Tammany Men.

New York, Jan. 31.—The Murphy Contracting company received a hard blow from the city administration today. Dock Commissioner Bensel notified the New York Trucking and Contracting company that its permit for the use of the dumping board at Twenty-first street and East river had been canceled and that the city would take possession on February 1st.

Gov. Swettenham, of Jamaica, who is 61 years of age, was married in the summer of 1905 to Miss Mary Copeland, of Kibbleson Hall, Staffordshire, England.

For a quick breakfast use Mrs. Austin's Pancake flour.

### Some Reasons Why Average Proof Reader Should be Shown no Quarter

The late Julian Ralph used to tell with a mixture of annoyance and amusement of a curious thing that the telegraph operators, printers, and proofreaders once did to him.

Mr. Ralph was at one time at Saratoga during the height of the season when William C. Whitney's enterprise had put new life into the racing and when Canfield's gambling establishment ran wide open and was one of the sights of the town. He had written an article for a New York newspaper in which he gave character sketches of Messrs. Whitney and Canfield, describing them as each in his different way, the two big men, of Saratoga.

After calling one evening on Mr. Canfield the correspondent came away and wrote, among other things, that Mr. Canfield wore evening dress, a ruffled shirt, and talked of Oriental ceremonies. When it got into type it read: "Mr. Canfield wore an evening dress, a ruffled shirt, and talked of Oriental ceremonies."

Mr. Ralph was somewhat chagrined but Mr. Canfield was highly delighted.

"But people will certainly think me eccentric," said he.

Despite the staff of highly trained proofreaders that every big printing establishment maintains for the express purpose of preventing it, errors no less absurd are constantly being allowed to go forth to an amused public. Even in the case of books it occasionally occurs, and many an edition of a famous work takes on greater value in the eyes of collectors because of the bookbinders' catalogue so often reads, "of a curious typographical error on page 219."

Such an error occurred in a volume of fiction brought out recently by one of the oldest and most successful of New York's publishing houses. "She twirled about so suddenly," the unfortunate author is made to say, "that her blue-stockinged ankles twinkled momentarily in the sunlight," which was a manifest injustice to the sweet girl and a heroine.

One whose interest in all things humorous has induced him to gather a collection of errors such as those that have appeared in various newspapers holds the belief that the dramatic and book reviewers are more frequently victimized than any other writers for the daily press. He also holds that error is often so much truer than the thing that was written that it deserves applause and not reproach. Here is an example:

"Lady Virginia, wife of an unworthy commissioner sent out by Charles II., seems more genuine, and wears vanishing costumes that suggest Mrs. Patrick Campbell." Substituting "vanishing" for "vanning" and you have the original, but is it an improvement?

"The stage setting," another reviewer was made to say, "is the familiar one of the huge castle with secret stairways, hangings or arras, and floors strewn with sweethearts." Of course the floor covering was not sweethearts, but sweet herbs.

Scarcely less amazing was it to read that "her last venture was a thousand mile trip to Moscow including the Atlas Mountains." If you substitute Morocco for Moscow the geography becomes impeccable. Nor could one be other than surprised to read of thisfeat made remarkable under her influence and their families.

"Last night Matthews, mounted on a horse, drove into the dynamo section of the Utica Gas and Electric Company's plant, and, putting spurs to the animal galloped around."

The reader would not be very likely to see anything wrong in the statement that "a special committee of three was appointed to prepare a sizzling reply tomorrow." But it wasn't "tomorrow" really; it was to Mr. Orr.

One might seek in vain, though the justification for using a large headline to announce the fact that the "Lotos Club Blues Monday" were it not for the circumstance that the

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only the purest, freshest drugs enter our prescriptions is, that with our large and growing business, we are able to turn over our stock of medicines, chemicals and pharmaceutical preparations a dozen times a year, where a smaller druggist can move his supplies only once or twice. In this way our prescriptions are fresh, potent and of dependable quality and are sure to act as your physician expects.

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doesnt seem to look so much like week.

It was a sad mix-up when the compositor said: "The houseboat appeals to the conditions of anybody's teeth: 'Unfortunately, the church has not always exhibited a like jealousy for the preservation of the reputation of the holy office for consistent purity of molars.' But the transposition of three letters clears up the mystery.

It was a pity that the reporter didn't really mean to say: "The city charter makes no provision for such an offense as corporation inspector." But unfortunately 'office was what he wrote.

For the error the compositor must take the blame, as well as for referring to Amelia Rives as the author of "The Qualek the Dead," and for the announcement that "Mrs. Peary, with her little daughter, has excluded herself on an island in Casco Bay." He, too, it was who described an immigrant peasant as a "pretty Russian penquin girl," but he can scarcely be blamed for the statement that "Mrs. Maud Ballington Booth has planned a reunion at Slope Hall, Flushing, for the ex-convicts who have reformed under her influence and their families."

Strange and barbarous forms of oppression on the part of the employers are hinted at in this weird paragraph: Messrs. — & — gave a Christmas theater party on Saturday afternoon and invited their entire force to see the "Wizard of Oz." Of course, the employees didn't have to be invited. They were merely invited.

For the statement that "the weather was general yesterday," it is hard to know whom to blame. Well, let the blame go—"fair weather" is what was intended.

Those counterfeit presentations of strawberries and apples and grapes that look "natural enough to eat" are all very well, but one example from this odd collection far outdoes them. In a description of how a fire in a waste basket was extinguished the statement was made: "The porters then doused the thing with pictures of water." Truly, art is great.

There was no intention to imply a bar sinister when a certain newspaper said: "Her great-great-grandfather on the matrimonial side was an officer in the English army." It should have read the "maternal side," which would have made it perfectly proper. Again, it may be perfectly true, as another newspaper said, that "it is the young policemen who all us his girl to lead him into excesses," but it was originally intended to lay the blame on the officer's zeal, not on his sweetheart.

One can imagine the annoyance of the racing reporter who was trying to describe a close finish, but only succeeded in getting this statement into print: "Kingstand beat him twice the first time by less than a week in a dingdong drive." And yet neck

"Will you guarantee," asked the stout-looking customer, "that there is no whisky in this patent medicine?" "Absolutely," responded the conscientious druggist. "Then," resumed the man, "you can keep it." "But," hastily added the druggist, "there's plenty of the stuff they used to call whisky before the government found a new name for it." The deal went through.

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The boys' suits which we are showing this season are, without a doubt, the handsomest and swellest ever shown in Paducah, embracing all the newest novelties--Buster Brown, Peter Pan, Russian Blouse and Sailor Suits. All the new models have knickerbocker trousers and the blouses come either with or without collars. The favored materials are white, blue and tan linen and linen crash, fancy and white chambrays, pique and shadow weaves. Some of the suits are plain and some of them are prettily trimmed. Priced from \$1.00 to \$6.00.

This line is designed and made by the most noted manufacturer of children's clothing in the country--Ivan Frank & Co., makers of the celebrated Buster Brown Suits.

Mothers, in justice to yourselves, we urge you to come Monday and bring the little fellows with you. You will enjoy seeing this exclusive display and we shall be more than glad to show it to you.

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### RIVER NEWS

#### River Stages.

Cairo .....	49.1	0.5	fall
Chattanooga .....	5.1	9.1	full
Cincinnati .....	22.0	5.0	fall
Evansville .....	41.7	1.8	fall
Florence .....	3.7	0.6	fall
Johnsonville .....	13.1	0.5	fall
Louisville .....	9.2	3.9	fall
Mt. Carmel .....	22.5	1.1	fall
Nashville .....	11.2	0.6	fall
Pittsburg .....	3.7	0.1	fall
Davis Island Dam—Missing.			
St. Louis .....	17.2	0.2	rise
Mt. Vernon .....	45.8	1.1	fall
Paducah .....	41.8	0.5	fall

All the reports from other towns showed the cheerful falling sign yesterday and Paducah has joined the chorus. The stage this morning was 41.8 with a fall of 0.5 in the last 24 hours. Business at the wharf is good with the packets running.

Probably the record run to Cairo from Paducah was made yesterday by the Kit Carson, which recently was let off the dry docks after a thorough overhauling. A telegram to Captain Young Taylor of the dry docks from the captain of the Kit Carson, says the run was made with three barges in tow, in two hours. It's going down stream, of course, and without any stops, but as the distance is some 50 miles, the speed was fine.

In addition to the troubles of high water, the steamer Joe Wheeler is being held over at Paducah because an engineer cannot be secured. John Ryman, who came in with the Wheeler from Chattanooga as head engineer, was sick and left yesterday for his home in Nashville. Efforts were made to secure an engineer here, but a difference over wages made Paducah men decline the job. This difference was overcome by the boat paying their demands, but another hitch arose when they refused to run with the assistant engineer because he is not an association man. The Joe Wheeler is at the wharf today waiting for a solution of the problem. Telegrams were sent to Louisville to try to get an engineer, but without success so far.

The Kentucky should get in early in the morning from the Tennessee river.

The City of Memphis did not get awry for the Tennessee river last night until 11 o'clock on account of an accident at Joppa the day before.

The Memphis backed up to the railroad docks but before they were ready an engine backed a string of cars down to the dock and against

the Memphis. The guards were broken up but no serious damage resulted.

The Joe Fowler arrived today from Evansville and got away in a few hours on the return trip.

Saturday was the day set for the John Hopkins to get back in the Evansville trade after a month's lay-off with a broken shaft. The Hopkins probably will come up Friday from Mound City.

The Dick Fowler will get away Monday for Cairo barring another rise in the river.

Captain Jim McCarty is superintending repairs on the Charles Turner at the dry docks.

Three runaway barges were caught in front of the wharfboat by the Henrietta yesterday afternoon. They got away from the upper Tennessee.

The Henrietta at last got away for the Tennessee river after ties yesterday.

The machinery has about been installed on the new steamer Alton. Engle of the Leyhe fleet in the mouth of the Tennessee river. It will be the last of February before these packets begin to leave for their regular trades and the last one will get away the middle of March.

Official Forecasts.

The Ohio at Evansville and Mt. Vernon will fall rapidly, the rate of fall increasing greatly daily for several days. At Paducah and Cairo will continue falling the rate of fall becoming rapid by Friday.

The Tennessee from Florence to the mouth will continue falling.

The Mississippi from Chester to Cairo will continue falling rapidly. The lower Wabash will fall rapidly. Floating ice will continue in the Mississippi for a week or more.

#### CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR.

Elects Officers at Kentucky Avenue Presbyterian Church.

Senior Christian Endeavor society of the Kentucky Avenue Presbyterian church, has elected officers as follows: Marshall Jones, president; Will D. Watson, vice president; Miss Essie Blackwell, recording secretary; Mrs. John Slaughter, corresponding secretary; Miss Bessie Lovenden, treasurer. Services are held each Sunday evening at 6:30 o'clock.

JOHN SHARP WILLIAMS

Wants the So-Called Paper Trust Investigated.

Washington, Jan. 31.—Representative John Sharp Williams, of Mississippi, introduced a bill in the house today for an investigation by the department of commerce and labor of the so-called paper trust.

Wisdom is known that has been tested in the crucible of experience.

#### JURORS EXCUSED

#### TWO MORE GOING; TWO MORE IN THE BOX.

District Attorney Jerome Asks the Court to Let Them Go, but Makes No Explanation.

New York, Jan. 31.—When the roll call of Jurors and talesmen was completed in the Thaw case this morning District Attorney Jerome arose and addressed the court as follows:

"Please the court: After a conference with the counsel for the defense, we have decided to ask you to excuse David S. Walker, juror No. 4, and Louis Haas, juror No. 9." Justice Fitzgerald announced that the jurors were excused. Thaw was amazed at the suddenness of affairs, and turned to his counsel, Mr. Peabody, and asked what it all meant. He seemed satisfied with Peabody's explanation, but there was a trace of annoyance on the face of Jerome as he told the court he did not deem it advisable to make known the reason for relieving Walker and Haas. This leaves nine jurors in the box and an extra panel of 100 talesmen appeared today.

When the Thaw trial recessed at 1 o'clock, two more jurors were accepted. This brings the number to eleven. Another panel of 100 is ordered by Justice Fitzgerald. This makes 300 men summoned.

District Attorney Jerome introduced a new figure into the case when he asked talesmen if they knew Cincinnati and a Mr. Baker of that city.

No body confessed to knowing Mr. Baker and the defense seemed utterly surprised at the introduction of the name.

From questions asked talesmen by the defense yesterday it appeared that the prosecution will have to consider more than one line of defense.

It became known today that the mysterious woman who has been called by the defense is Mrs. J. J. Caine, and she is being kept in hiding to avoid a subpoena by Jerome. She will be one of the chief witnesses for the defense.

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